NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Health Care Stabilization

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 13-96-HCS STATUTORY AUTHORITY: TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:

P.L. 2008,c.33 Cost-reimbursement Grant

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

To provide financial assistance through temporary grants to qualifying health care facilities that are facing closure or a significant reduction in services due to financial distress and to ensure maintenance and access to necessary health care services and primary health care services for residents in communities served by the qualifying health care facilities.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

The availability of funds for this program is contingent on the appropriation of funds to the department. Approximately \$30,000,000 is expected to be available for this program.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants
- 2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
- 3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Qualifying New Jersey licensed health care facilities.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

Applicant must be licensed health care facilities that are facing closure or significant reduction in services.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

An application for a Grant is to be submitted electronically and upon receipt of a letter of intent, inquiry or concept paper sent to the address listed below. Eligible agencies are to submit grant applications through the Department's System for Administering Grants Electronically (SAGE). Eligible agencies must register at the following internet website address: www.sage.nj.gov. The Request for Applications (RFA) can be obtained by writing or calling the office listed below.

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED:

The application must be filed electronically no later than 5:00 p.m. on February 24, 2013.

DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Applicants will be notified approximately 4-6 weeks after completed applications are reviewed and approved by the Department.

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